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ALL STAR BASEBALL

Something new has been done. Not since 1955 have the North Section All-Stars won a game. The South Section took the honors in 1956-57-58. It looks as if Carbon will have to pull up their socks if they want to take the league championship. Playoffs will be July 21 at 6:30 p.m. at Carbon and the second game will be played in Huxley, and a third if necessary the next week.

What happened? The Coach didn't have his thinking cap on, errors by Stubbert, Empey, Bramley and Coach (Stubby) were the main reasons for defeat. Boese and Wood didn't show their stuff on the mound and with errors in the field a pitcher just doesn't come home with a victory—at least not in close games like 4-3. North Section got only three hits. South Section out hit them by collecting nine hits so figure it out. (Sloppy Baseball).

Big sticks for the South were Stubbert two for three, Permann two for three, Simpson two for three and singles by Empey, Kozak, Diede. So fans if you want to see revenge, come to our game on Tuesday July 21st at 6:30 p.m. This is for keeps. That cup still has room to put Carbon White Sox 1959 on. Let's cheer these kids on to victory. By the way responsibility for the game was Dale Poxon's. He is swimming in the Pacific and if we don't win the next one I'll go out there and drown him or myself

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discovered by night policeman Alex Sobisky who set the alarm and again the quick, efficient fire department was on the job and had the fire under control shortly. It was discovered in the basement. Smoke and water damage was extensive but no damage from fire upstairs.

The hotel is quite a landmark, having been saved from the disaster fire on June 17, 1914 when all we had was a bucket brigade. Thanks again to the Fire Dept. under the leadership of Fire Chief Sid Wright for the most wonderful work.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Johnson of Fredericton, N.B., Mrs. Mary Lane of Vancouver and Mrs. Stan Logan of Michichi were visitors at the home of R. R. Thorburn last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Sandlack and son Gordon of Drumheller, Mrs. Withers and two daughters of Lavoy were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Maxwell. Mr. and Mrs. John Mapletto of Fort Pitt, Sask. also Mrs. A. Huculak, daughter Ione and son David of Jousard are visiting at the E. Maxwell home, also Mrs. Gertie Barnes and daughter Mary of Granum.

Mr. and Mrs. Brost Sr. left for two weeks holiday to points in North Dakota. They were accompanied by their daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Repas of East Coulee. It was a great many years since Mr. Brost had been back to his home town.

Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Pathcett of Hope, B.C., Miss L. Matheson and Ken Matheson of Vernon, B.C. were all visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilham White this past week also Mrs. C. Cox and daughter Jenette of Kamloops, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown and family of Kimberley, B.C. were visitors at the home of their aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. Sam Garrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McLeod and children of Edmonton were weekend visitors at the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McLeod.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jerome of Red Deer, a daughter July 2nd in Red Deer Hospital. Congratulations folks and grandparents Mr. and Mrs. C. Graham.

Great excitement was created on the street on Wed. morning when our local Scout Troop under the leadership of Scoutmaster Love left for a weeks camping at Banff. Mr. John Wood took the supplies and several cars took the boys. Something missing—Ex-Scoutmaster Isaac. Hope the weather keeps nice. Mrs. Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Walker of Hesketh went along.

Mr. and Mrs. Bacon of Granum were visitors at the home of their grandparents Mr. and

Mrs. Len Maxwell.

August Gieck, aged 78, passed away at the Baptist Haven of Rest at Medicine Hat June 27th. Born at Eigenfeld, South Russia, he came to Canada in 1911, later to Carbon in 1929, where he farmed till 1945 and then retired to reside in Carbon till April 1959 when he left for Medicine Hat following the death of his wife Christina on March 1st. He was a very active member of the Carbon Baptist Church.

He leaves to mourn his loss two daughters, Mrs. (Lillian) Neher of Elk Grove, California; Mrs. (Martha) Richardson of Seattle, Wash.; three sons, August of Acme, Dave of Carbon and Albert of Calgary; eight grandchildren, three great-grandchildren, and many hosts of friends and neighbors.

Mr. Gieck will be sadly missed in church work and neighborly spirit.

Funeral services were held in Carbon Baptist Church on Tuesday June 30th. Pallbearers were: J. A. Ohlhauser, J. J. Forsch, Jake Raiser, Emanuel Neher, John Harsch, Ernest Bettcher. Winter Bros. were in charge.

The total amount received for the Cancer Fund from Carbon and district is \$433.75.

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Mr. R. W. McCulloch, a former Acme resident, celebrated his 80th birthday June 29th at Killarney, Manitoba.

Maynard Spooner arrived home Saturday on leave from the R.C.A.F. Maynard will report to Winnipeg after a month's holidays.

Vince McCulloch, who was a recent visitor to Whitehorse, Yukon with his uncle Bill McGillvray, was home for the weekend.

Dr. Robert S. Syvud of Mandan, North Dakota, a graduate of Washington State College is now associated with Dr. Jack Greenway at Acme. Mrs. Syvud and one son will be making their home at Acme.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Verhaest have as their guests their sister-in-law Mrs. Tyrrell and children Pat and Paul of Vancouver, B.C. Pat is a member of the Vancouver Band which took second prize in the Stampede Parade.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brown and Maureen were Moose Jaw visitors and Miss Shirley Phillips of Moose Jaw returned with them for a visit. Mr. and Mrs. George Carter of Moose Jaw were also visitors with the Ralph Browns.

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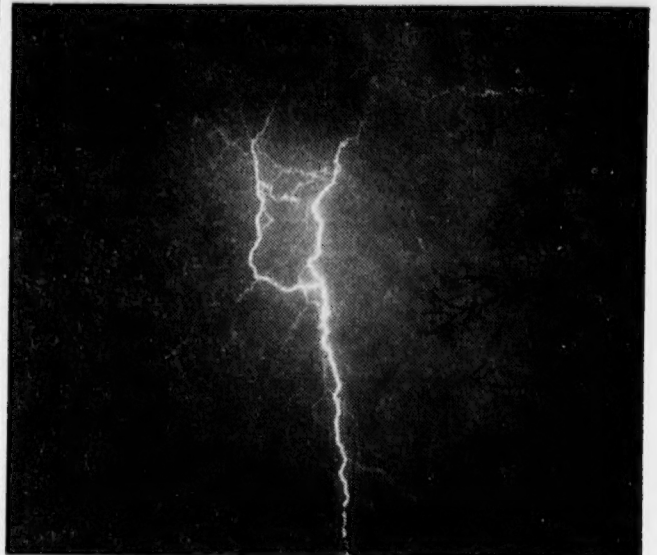
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—Virden Empire-Advance Staff photo.

(The Mercury, Estevan, Sask.)



TIMES CHANGE—Dust was filling the air recently when this photo was taken. While there will no doubt be days like this again the atmosphere was at least temporarily cleansed by recent rains.

—Mercury photo.

Major sports fishing lakes in north will be open to anglers soon

Reports from Saskatchewan's far north indicate that the spring ice breakup is now well under way, and all major sports fishing lakes are expected to be open to anglers by the middle of June.

According to Saskatchewan Government Airways officials, float-equipped aircraft are now able to get into the north end of Cree Lake and south end of Reindeer lake. It is hoped flight four to Wollaston Lake will be resumed next week.

Ice is beginning to move on Lake Athabasca and Black Lake in the Beaverlodge area. There is already considerable sports fishing activity on the Fond du Lac River, near Stony Rapids and on

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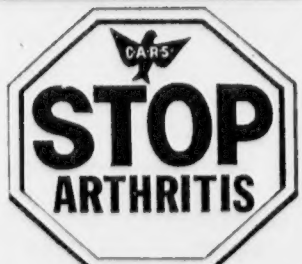
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Two other members which will be held in conjunction with the C.A.R.E.B. convention are the 8th Annual Meeting of the Saskatchewan Real Estate Association, to be held Saturday, September 19, and the 4th Annual Meeting of the Canadian Institute of Realtors, educational arm of the Canadian Association, to be held Friday, September 18.



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MEGILL ROSEBOWL—Proudly displaying the McGill rosebowl for the highest single score is Lt. A. Fast, a member of Headquarters, Royal Canadian Engineers, Winnipeg. Lt. Fast won this award in a rifle competition held at St. Charles Ranges, Winnipeg, by the Regular Army units of Prairie Command, June 2, 3 and 4. —National Defence photo.

Farm management specialist

John Frederick Hickie, a native of Loon Lake, Sask., has been appointed to the position of farm management specialist with the Agricultural Representatives Branch of the Department of Agriculture, L. J. Hutchison, branch director, announced.

Mr. Hickie is a 1956 graduate of the School of Agriculture, and this year graduated from the College of Agriculture, University of Saskatchewan, with his B.Sa degree, with great distinction.

He has enjoyed a most distinguished university career. At the



MR. JOHN HICKIE
—Sask. Gov't photo.

School of Agriculture, he was awarded the university silver medal for the highest academic record in the graduating class. He won five scholarships and prizes at the College of Agriculture; the Rayner Memorial Entrance Scholarship, (1956); the Baker Memorial Scholarship in poultry (1957); the Pioneer Grain Co. scholarship (1958); the Saskatchewan Institute of Agrologists prize for the most distinguished graduate in agriculture (1959); the Saskatchewan Department of Co-operation and Co-operative Development essay prize in farm management.

Before entering upon his university studies, Mr. Hickie played an active and prominent role in 4-H club work and was a member of the team which represented Saskatchewan 4-H grain clubs at the Toronto Royal Winter Fair in 1955. At university he was prominent in public speaking and debating activities. He gained practical experience while employed with the Dominion Forage Crop Laboratory for three summers, and while working on the family farm at Waldron.

Mr. Hickie was born at Loon Lake and took his high school studies at Waldron, in which district his father farms.

His appointment brings the department's farm management specialists staff to four agrologists, all of whom have specialized training in farm management and knowledge of the particular problems of agricultural economics.

WATER SAFETY

Don't wear heavy boots while boating. Keep your shoes unlaced, ready to kick off if an upset occurs. Safe boating means a happier vacation.

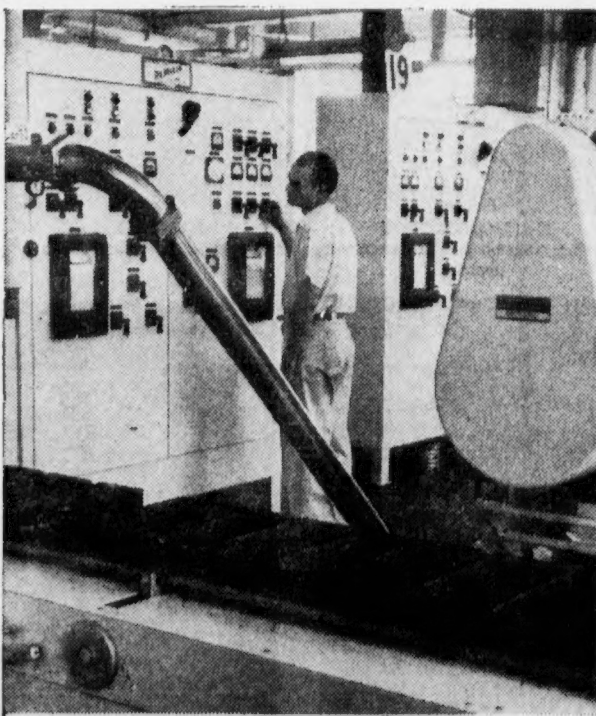
Don't swim when you are tired. You won't have the strength to cope with an emergency. Swim for fun, but swim safely.

Automation in the Bakery More Bread for More Canadians



With Canada's population constantly spiralling upwards, the need for more bread, more economically produced, becomes a challenge and a problem undreamed of in grandmother's day. The delights of home-made bread,

baked in picturesque old-fashioned ovens will ever be a cherished memory for many but the demands of modern living have witnessed the steady march of automation into a variety of fields, including recently, the bakery.



Three Canadian cities now feature electronic equipment which controls bread-making operations from start to finish. Blending of ingredients, mixing, shaping and panning are all controlled from central switchboard.

Automation assures that every loaf is identical and of uniform quality. Electronic controls eliminate the possibility of variation and human error.

National Film Board of Canada Photos by Gar Lunney.

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Saskatchewan Wheat Queen Contest

Twenty-four Pretty Saskatchewan girls have now entered the 1959 Wheat Queen Competition to be selected before the Provincial Exhibition in July. Announcing this new total today, Chairman William Palin said he hoped at

least thirty candidates would enter the contest.

The contest is being sponsored by the Regina Club of the Associated Canadian Travellers and carries a first prize of an expense paid trip to Victoria, B.C., plus other prizes listed below. Sponsorship of Wheat Queen candidates is offered to any association, lodge, sports, recreational or service club.

The contest is designed to publicize the Wheat Theme of the Provincial Exhibition in Regina and of the Province of Saskatchewan.

The Wheat Queen's reign and selection will depend on the number of tickets sold on her behalf. Proceeds will be given to Mental Health Research and TB. Preventive work.

Both the Wheat Queen and her two attendants, also to be selected from the contestants, will be brought to Regina for the full week of the Exhibition during the last week of July. They will be outfitted with a wardrobe, including gowns, and be given all expenses plus other prizes. The ladies in waiting will also receive \$100.00 each in prize money. While in Regina the three girls will be guests of the Regina Club of the A.C.T. and suitable chaperones will be provided.

All other contestants will be invited to attend the Exhibition in Regina from Thursday, July 30th till Saturday, August 1st, at the expense of the Regina Club of the A.C.T. The club will be responsible for all travel expenses.

J. A. Peters, Secretary-Treasurer of the A.C.T., Regina Club, at 2046 Broad St., is receiving entries on behalf of the club.

DRIVERS' LICENSES

Since October of 1958 Alberta has been issuing some 1,800 new drivers' licenses a month, a rate expected to be maintained until 1962 when first renewals of five-year licenses become due.



LINDA BRONMELAND
Knights of Columbus,
Prince Albert



SHARON HESCH
Shawnee Club, Shaunavon



ELSIE STUART
Knights of Columbus, Kamsack



CAROL ANN LENZEN
Davidson Figure Skating Club,
Davidson



KAREN COOLEY
Junior Chamber of Commerce,
Estevan



JOAN FIGLER
Stoughton Volunteer Fire Dept.



CAROLYN LASBY
Women's Auxiliary to Sask.
Training School, Moose Jaw



LYNN JENSEN
Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L.,
Lloydminster



GERALDINE JOYAL
Order of the Royal Purple Lodge,
Meadow Lake



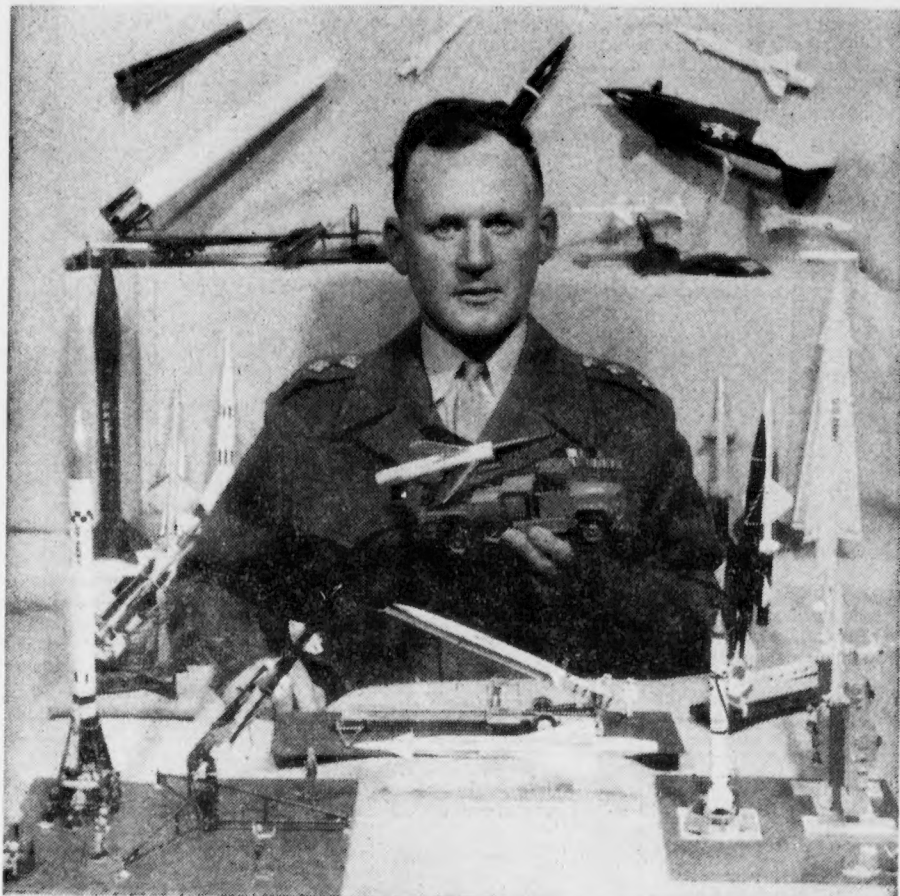
TINA WEINBERGER
Fox Valley Athletic Association
Fox Valley



LORRAINE WHITE
Junior Chamber of Commerce
North Battleford



MAUREEN MARTIN
Regina Pipe Band, Regina



MISSILE COLLECTOR—Captain Ken Langridge, a Winnipeg Militia officer, displays part of his collection of 36 scale model guided missiles received from missile manufacturers in six countries. He holds a model of the Lacross, a truck-launched tactical missile being purchased for the Canadian Army.

Winnipeg officer has guided missile hobby

Some people save stamps and some are interested in coins, but Captain Ken Langridge, 36, a Winnipeg Militia officer, has the unique modern hobby of saving guided missiles—scale models, that is.

In the past four months he has gathered together 28 of the miniature and expertly finished model missiles from the parent manufacturers in the United States, England, France, Italy and Australia. En route to Winnipeg are

eight more, including two from the Royal Swedish Air Force.

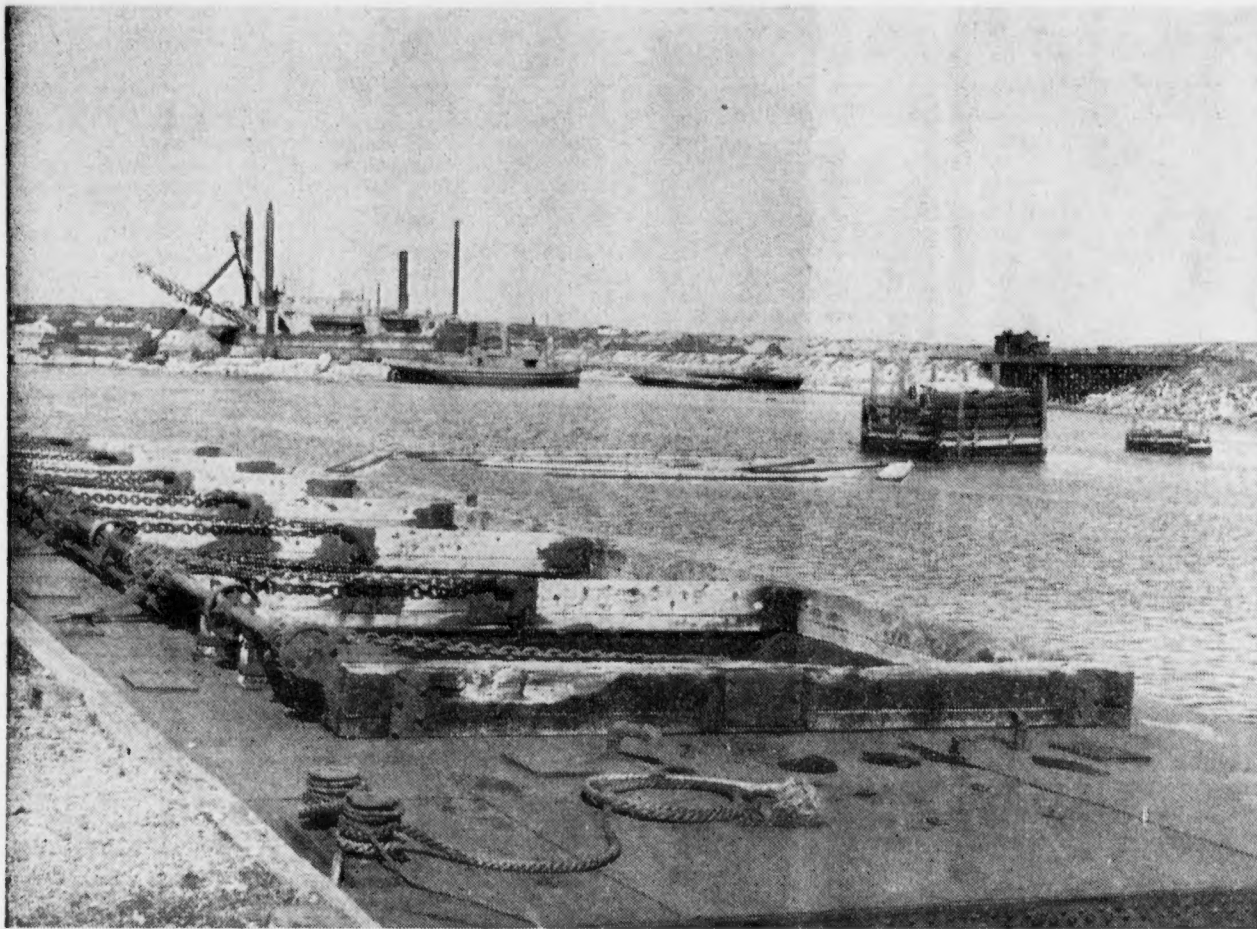
His interest in missiles developed several years ago from reading reports of them in newspapers and magazines. Last fall on a visit to the Canadian Joint Air Training Centre at Rivers, Man., he saw his first scale models which resulted in the beginning of his collection.

The captain's aim is to build a "missile city" for the Winnipeg Militia and to make the public familiar with the missile age. He says missiles "represent the pres-

ent and the future". By that he means missiles are with us and the technology resulting from them can only point to the future.

Capt. Langridge is still a keen stamp collector, a photographic enthusiast and an amateur gardener. He has been with the Militia since emigrating from England to Canada in 1947 to work for the Canadian National Railways. For the past six years he has been liaison officer with the RCAF for 19 Militia Group Headquarters.

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DOCK at Churchill known as the "Port of the Prairies".
For further information write: The Hudson Bay Route Association, Box 1034, Saskatoon, Sask.

Editorials from Canadian Weekly Newspapers

(These are not necessarily the views of the editor of this paper)

Rare citizen

(The Times, Morden, Man.)

If the Morden Kinsmen Club as still giving Citizen of the Year awards one thousand years from now it is a safe bet that it will not be to a more deserving person than Mrs. Frank Saunders to whom the plaque was presented by Dr. Chas. Walkof, a past governor, at a dinner meeting in the Canadian Legion auditorium.

On this, the 14th occasion of this annual award it marks the second time that a lady has been selected for this honor.

And as this petite little lady was sitting shaking her head as the praises were showered upon her by Dr. Walkof, one could not help wondering just how it is humanly possible to correctly assess and give proper recognition to the like of Mrs. Saunders.

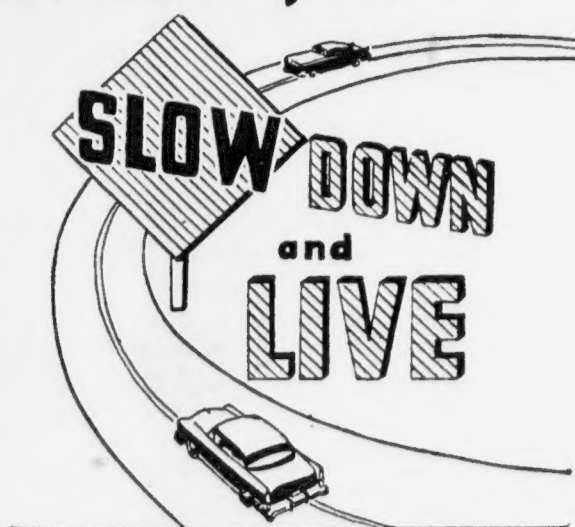
To be singled out and honored doubtless comes as an embarrassment to this little lady. A visit to her retarded class shows where her reward lies—it is in the love that comes pouring back to her from those five children to whom nature has denied most of her benefices except a deep capacity to give and accept love.

It is in that classroom that Mrs. Saunders is happiest, where she is giving. Just in much the same way that Mme. Curie was the happiest when working in her laboratory on that painstaking search for radium, so Mrs. Saunders, day by day throughout the year keeps up that unremitting effort to reach and teach those young folk of her class. Truly, it is an aura of happiness that pervades this room. It is, in effect, a little world apart. These young people are happiest here, and we believe, so is Mrs. Saunders. Somehow these children know what their teacher is trying to do and they do try so awfully hard to do what she wants. And for her part, this unique teacher knows how terribly hard they are doing her behest.

Yes, we do believe that within the four walls of that classroom is where this lady knows the most happiness, because, there can be no greater task, no more challenging an undertaking. That is why Dr. Schweitzer operates in the African jungle, why a young woman will embark on social welfare work or go up within the Arctic Circle on missionary work.

But it is nice, just the same, to reward these people. It tends to make us feel good. It was a very nice piece of work for Morden Kinsmen to single out this lady for that award. Come to think of it, it was even nicer of her to accept.

SPEED Kills



Other safety hazards need wider publicity

"The wide publicity given the hazards of plastic bags and sheets to young children following the initial warning in this country by the Saskatchewan Department of Public Health, makes us hope for similar support for the prevention of more common hazards," Christian Smith, director of health education, said here recently.

"Reported deaths of some 23 children in Canada and the United States due to suffocation in plastic bags and sheets is actually a small matter compared to the thousands who are poisoned, burned, and crushed to death by other means," he said. "However, even the prevention of one unnecessary accident makes all the publicity worth while."

"We have no record of any death in Saskatchewan from suffocation by plastic material, but last year we did lose seven children by accidental poisoning and some 700 young poisoning victims had to be treated in hospitals," he stated.

"To ask dry cleaners not to deliver clothing in plastic bags does not seem warranted. One might as logically ask people not to buy power mowers because some people have been mutilated by them, or not to use aspirin because some children have been poisoned."

"Plastic bags are an improvement over the old paper bags. Housewives like them and should be able to use them safely."

"Parent awareness of this and other hazards is the first step in protecting children. Surely, the aware parent can refuse a child plastic materials to play with and give reasons which children will understand and accept," Mr. Smith concluded.

Water comes to Grenfell

—THE WINDTHORST INDEPENDENT, Grenfell, Sask.

Eighty-five householders on the south side of the CPR tracks were supplied with water from the dam south of town for the first time, when the house-connection valves were opened recently.

It is expected householders on the north side of the tracks and the business section of town will receive water within a very short time.

There is at present a "fair supply of water in the dam."

Work began on water and sewerage system in April of last year.

THINK AHEAD!



Canada's vacationlands have everything to offer for a care-free holiday... majestic mountain scenery; beautiful sand beaches; lake or ocean sailing; and luxurious resorts which provide golf, riding, tennis and swimming facilities. The Canadian National Railways' "Go Now — Pay Later" plan makes it easier for vacation dreams to come true. The mountain scene, above, is located near Jasper Park Lodge, Alberta; while the sailing yachts are pictured on Bedford Basin in picturesque Nova Scotia.

CNR Photos





A RARE MEDAL in his collection is the Northwest Canada Medal awarded a seaman for a battle in the heart of the Prairies. It was awarded to a sailor aboard the steamer Northcote during the Battle of Batoche along the South Saskatchewan River in 1885. —RCAF News photo.

Flight Sgt. collects medals

An RCAF flight sergeant, who earned a few medals of his own during the Second World War, has almost converted his Ottawa apartment into a museum in assembling one of the largest medal collections in Canada.

Although he hesitates to pinpoint the actual number, Flight Sergeant Bruce W. Beatty of the RCAF's Central Arts Section estimates he has collected about 500 medals valued at approximately \$3,000.

His collection dates back to battles in the Napoleonic Wars between 1793 and 1814. One of his most highly prized medals is the Naval General Service Medal with bar for the Battle of Trafalgar in 1805.

In discussing the prized collection, FS Beatty states his major interest in medal collection is "authenticating them." "You learn a terrific amount of history, especially of battles and regiments," he claims. And the RCAF flight sergeant can authenticate his remarks. He has a roll call of all English officers in the Battle of Waterloo.

The son of Pleasantville, Sask., parents, Beatty derived his early interest in medals from his father, Ellesworth A. B. Beatty, who served in the First World War. But the only medals the younger Beatty had at his disposal until the Second World War were those his father earned between 1914 and 1918.

In 1941, the 18-year-old Beatty enlisted in the RCAF and served as a bombardier. For a time in his Air Force career he was an airframe mechanic at Camp Borden and when the Graphic Arts section was formed at Air Force Headquarters he was one of the two original members.

His interest in medals was stimulated by his RCAF service. But it was not until the early 1950's that he devoted his spare time energies into developing his collection into its present scope.

He has devised several techniques in making the collection unique including "personal collections" or obtaining all medals of certain individuals.

For example he has collected all medals of several British soldiers. One collection dates back to the Boer War. His collection of Sergeant C. Chelton's medals includes the 1914 Star, British War Medal, Victory Medal, Army and Air Force General Service Medal, Defence Medal 1939-45, Army Long Service and Good Conduct Medal.

FS Beatty lists a Victoria Cross among his collection. He obtained it from a trader in India whom he contacted through the British Collectors Medal Society. In securing the V.C., Beatty gave up a large number of Canadian medals including the Canadian General Service Medal with a Fenian Raid bar and the Red River Rebellion medal.

Some of his most valued medals were awarded for battles in Western Canada. One was given a sailor for participating in a battle on the Prairies. It was the Northwest Canada medal won by seaman J. MacAndrews who served aboard the steamer Northcote during the battle of Batoche along the South Saskatchewan River.

FS Beatty spent a long time seeking the Arctic Discovery Med-

al of 1818-1855 before he found it in a Toronto Antique shop. On occasion he has paid as much as \$50.00 for a medal.

In his opinion some of his medals are almost unique in Canada. An African General Service Medal with bar for Somaliland, 1920, fits

into this category. It was the property of AC2 W. H. Wornall of the RAF.

At one time he owned a large number of foreign medals but these have since been traded to other collectors.

However if he regains an interest in foreign medals he will soon have an opportunity of building his collection still further. On July 18 FS Beatty is being transferred

First Mental Health district in the world formed here

—THE JOURNAL, Melfort, Sask.

by F. H. Kahan

With more than 120 persons in attendance, members of Canadian Mental Health branches from Melfort and surrounding area voted unanimously to form a mental health district, the first such district in the world. The decision was made at an afternoon meeting of a mental health workshop arranged and sponsored by the Melfort Branch of the Saskatchewan division of the C.M.H.A. Irwin Kahan executive director from Regina, was chairman.

The need for such a district was explained by Mrs. Ed. Vickar, who stated that the various branches would continue their activities but with the added advantage of better co-ordination and a medium for solving problems which normally arise.

Delegates were present from Tisdale, Prince Albert, Watson, Fairy Glen, Bagley, Ridgedale, St. Brieux, Spalding, Leacross, Star City, Lenville, Beatty, Pathlow, Smeaton and Pleasant Valley.

At the morning session, greetings were brought by Mayor Caskey on behalf of the town and Mr. Ed. Vickar, on behalf of the Melfort Board of Trade.

Preceding the meeting a banquet was held in the All Saints' Anglican Church hall, catered by the women's auxiliary. Tulips dec-

to No. 1 Air Division, Metz, France. One of his major problems could be the shipping of his medals overseas.

orated the head table. Head table guests were Hon. George Willis, Minister of Public Works for the province, Mrs. B. Adams, president of the Tisdale CMHA, branch, Dr. Abram Hoffer, director of psychiatric research for Saskatchewan, Mrs. E. Vickar, executive member of C.M.H.A., Saskatchewan Division, Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Kahan of Regina, Dr. M. Demay, superintendent of North Battleford hospital, Mrs. Olga Prosko from Watson, Councillor Archie Kipling of Melfort, regional health centre chairman, Mrs. P. Pickering, president of the Prince Albert branch, S. Caskey, Mrs. Inez McLean, president of the Melfort branch, Mr. E. Vickar, president of the Melfort Board of Trade was chairman. Mr. J. Joslyn asked the blessing.

Mr. Willis was guest speaker, introduced by Councillor Kipling. He said that the government "inherited in 1944 the system of old big hospitals for custodial care" designed to keep patients away from communities. To replace these would cost 25 to 30 million dollars while the present buildings are "still in reasonably good shape. In the past four years the government renovated eight basement wards in Weyburn and is creating extra space by transforming attic space. The government has also deliberately set out to attract the best people they could in the field of psychiatry and mental health."

Killing time is suicide on the installment plan.

At Home in the Clouds

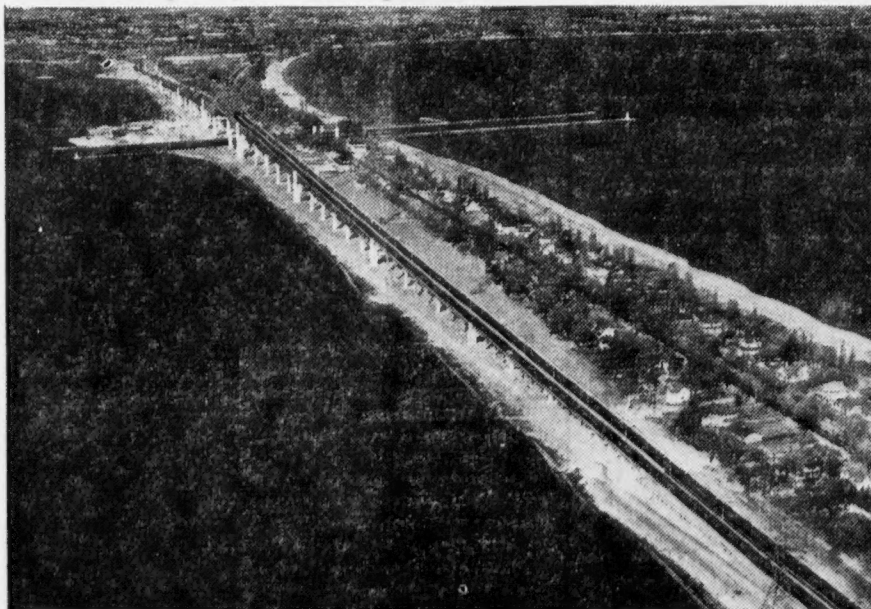
Bridge Building Mohawks



"Anywhere a bird will land, a Mohawk Indian will climb." So goes one of the legends known to the building trade throughout Canada and the United States where stories concerning the daring and fleet-footedness of Mohawk Indians from the Iroquoian tribe are legion. At ease on the dizzy heights, Mohawks helped build New York's 1472-foot Empire State Building as well as numerous skyscrapers and towering bridges throughout the length and breadth of North America. A tightly knit band of a few thousand in an 85,000-man group of daredevils who make high steel their profession, these Indians seem to possess a built-in sense of balance which makes them as much at home in the clouds as on the ground; their cat-like agility and audacity aloft have become legendary.



Mohawks have been fascinated by high steel for almost 70 years, dating back to 1886 when they first became interested in a bridge spanning the St. Lawrence from Montreal, whose northern abutment was to rest on Mohawk land. To obtain land rights for the abutment, the builder agreed to hire Mohawks on the construction job.



Mohawks from the Six Nation Indian Reservation near Brantford, Ontario, helped construct the \$17 million Burlington Skyway Bridge (above) now nearing completion. Designed to eliminate Canada's worst traffic bottle-neck and provide free-flow traffic on the Queen Elizabeth Way between Toronto and the U.S. border at Fort Erie, the Skyway will handle heavy tourist traffic this summer.

National Film Board of Canada Photos by Gar Lunney.



Four Mohawk Indians who worked on the Burlington, Ont., Skyway are shown above. Top to bottom: Earl Isaacs, Jack Olsen, Jacob Isaacs, Russel Isaacs.

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(The Red River Valley Echo, Altona, Man.)



ABE NEUFELD, of the Gretna district, is one of several farmers in the Red River Valley who resumed their sunflower harvest after a heavy snowstorm last November halted harvesting operations. Here Mr. Neufeld and combine operator J. W.

Heinrichs, of Halbstadt, are shown as they started harvesting a 25-acre field. Elsewhere in the Gretna area flax was being combined and in other places seeding of the spring crop got underway. —Echo Staff photo.

CHAROLAIS

Approximately 60 head of Charolais cattle have been imported by ranchers in western Canada from Arizona, Texas and Florida.

The only job where you start at the top is digging a hole.

(The Post Review, Hudson Bay, Sask.)

Winter raising of pheasants holds promise for hunters

"With any luck," said Earl Murray, president of the local Fish & Game League, "hunters in this

area may get an open season on cock pheasants in a few years."

Mr. Murray, who with Ole Randen, has winter raised about 100 chick pheasants, which were supplied by the Provincial Game Farm at Saskatoon, operated by the Sask. Fish and Game League and supported with grants from the Department of Natural Resources, made this statement when we visited the pheasant pen.

The chicks are supplied free of charge providing local Branch of the Fish and Game League will raise them and release them in the area in the spring. In this manner the winter mortality is reduced.

The 120 baby pheasants were 10 weeks old when they arrived here. Mr. Murray and Mr. Randen penned them on Earl Boswell's property south of town.

The buildings had been used previously as a milk farm, so it was necessary to cover the pen area 75 feet square with 2-inch chicken wire mesh. The chicks were old enough to eat grain when they arrived, so there was no problem with feeding. Grain had been swept from grain cars on the CNR and donated by local members of the Fish and Game League in the area.

During the winter months about 20 of the original flock were lost to predators, owls, weasels and hawks.

Earl Murray says, "The birds can withstand bitterly cold weather, but a driving snowstorm which might plug their nostrils is about the only real danger."

During the winter Earl and Ole made a trip out to the pens three times each week, to feed the birds. They were fed wheat only and ate snow for water. Judging by the appearance of the flock now, this diet was about as beneficial as possible.

Presently there are settings of eggs being released to district farmers. It is estimated that a total of 10 settings of 20 eggs each will be possible.

The farmers who have offered to take the settings, will release the birds after they are full grown. The idea is to release about six hens for every cock bird. Any male pheasants over this ratio may be retained by the farmer for his own disposition.

This program will hasten the increase in the pheasant popula-

SEEDING GENERAL

—THE RECORDER, Wakaw, Sask.

Seeding is expected to become general in this area. The rainfall (1/2 an inch or less) recently retarded field operations by a few days. With below average temperatures prevailing, most farmers were in no hurry to put seed into the ground until warmer weather was indicated and wild oats began to grow.

Prior to the rain only a few farmers had put in seed, according to Frank Miller, Ag. Rep. for District 28.

While the present moisture situation is not ideal around here, conditions for seeding are reported to be satisfactory.

Since pheasants are not likely to stray from their home district, it is expected that a three-year program should provide enough birds to be able to have a hunting season for male pheasants.

The bulk of the flock at the pheasant pen were released in the Erwood area at the end of April, Mr. Murray stated that it would be helpful if people in the district would report the presence of birds near their farms and that if birds should come near their buildings during the winter months, it would be appreciated if grain was placed out for the pheasants.

It would also be a help if the birds are not molested.

In view of the successful winter raising of the 1958 flock, the local Branch of the Fish and Game League have decided to bring in 150 birds this fall.

The upland game committee will be responsible for looking after the birds.

Mr. Murray said, "Any donations of feed for the 1959 flock will be greatly appreciated." Anyone wishing to make a contribution is asked to contact Mr. Earl Murray in Hudson Bay.

Before taking out a boat, be sure it will bring you back. This summer be water wise!

FALSE TEETH That Loosen Need Not Embarrass

Many wearers of false teeth have suffered real embarrassment because their plate dropped, slipped or wobbled at just the wrong time. Do not live in fear of this happening to you. Just sprinkle a little FASTEETH, the alkaline (non-acid) powder, on your plates. Hold false teeth more firmly, so they feel more comfortable. Does not sour. Checks "plate odor" (denture breath). Get FASTEETH at any drug counter.

Woman's Way



MADELEINE LEVASON

TRAVEL TIPS—On Packing

Packing tricks I have learned over many years of hopping about by plane, train or road, may not meet with the approval of many travel "experts" but they save a lot of wear and tear on me and my clothes.

A dyed-in-the-wool "one suitcase" gal, I think all those cute travel kits for cosmetics, manicure materials, sewing equipment and washing supplies are a waste of time, space and money. Travel kits always contain things you don't want and leave no room for others that you do want.

I never use the hangers that are fitted into the lids of luggage. I think they crease things too much. I like my dresses to lie flat, folded over once at the waist.

My recipe for easy and efficient packing calls for one medium sized suitcase and lots and lots of plastic bags and jars. Practically everything except the dresses go into transparent polythene bags. (Usually the names of the vegetables that came in them have been scrubbed off.) Anyway there are bags for nylons, gloves, shoes, lingerie and jewelry.

My do-it-yourself travel kits are two zippered plastic bags. One contains small sized plastic jars and bottles filled with my regular cream, powder, hand lotion, perfume, etc., a toothbrush and paste and a face cloth. (Someday hotels will smarten up and supply face cloths with their towels and save us damp packing.)

My second kit contains brush and comb, hand mirror, bobby pins, nail polish, scissors and my sewing kit which is simply a tiny folder of needles, black and white thread and a few pins.

These two kits with shoes, and other heavier items are arranged across the bottom of the bag, the heaviest towards the back so they won't slide when it is picked up.

The polythene bags of gloves and other small items fill up the holes. The last things packed are my dresses, which are laid neatly across the top of everything.

Hats that can be packed without harm go into the corners, each in its own polythene bag, of course.

Packing or unpacking takes me five minutes and my suitcase has never weighed more than 35 pounds. Airplanes allow you 44 pounds, so I can always take along my nine-pound portable typewriter.

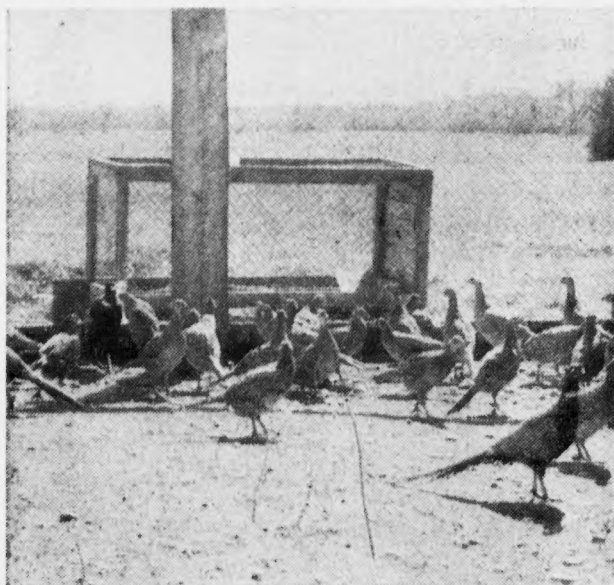
Next week I'm off on a trip across Canada. To show you that I do take my own advice, I'll tell you what I pack, in what fabrics and how.

DRIVE WITH CARE—THE LIFE YOU SAVE MAY BE YOUR OWN

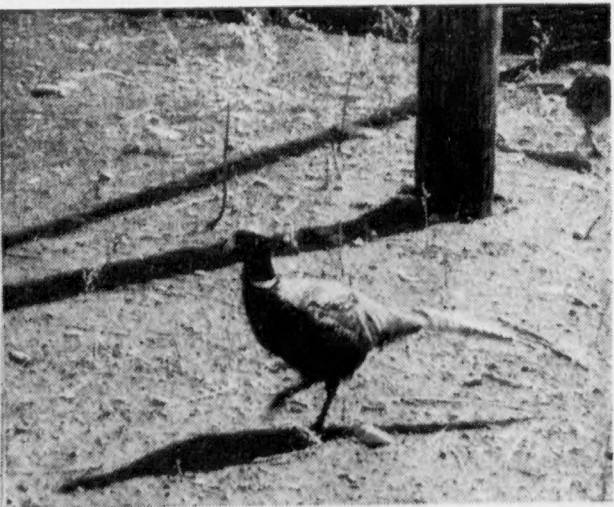
When you 'phone Long Distance

RATES ARE CHEAPER

6 AND ALL DAY AFTER 6 P.M. SUNDAY



THREE OF THE SIXTEEN male pheasants can be seen with the hens at the bird pen, south of town. The birds will be released in the Erwood district.



THE BEAUTIFUL MALE PHEASANT is one that belongs to Earl Boswell. The bird was hatched by a hen and was raised by Mr. Boswell, as a pet. This two-year-old pheasant is being kept at the pens, as it is hoped that Mr. Boswell may be able to find a place near Victoria, where he may be able to raise pheasants. In which case his bird will be sent out to the Coast.

Acme

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Loggin and Ricky are away on holidays

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ellis and Anne are away on a holiday trip.

Mrs. Marjorie Hellevang and daughters of Milo are visitors at the Carman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Gall and Karen in company with Mr. and Mrs. Vince Del Frari of Elnora and Mr. and Mrs. Grant McMillan of Delburne are holiday visitors to Kalispell, Mont.

Sergeant and Mrs. Howard Witwer have returned to the Coast after spending a week visiting relatives in Calgary, Carstairs and Acme. Danny Witwer returned with Howard and Joyce for a visit at the Coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne McCulloch and two children of Winnipeg were visitors at the home of his brother Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McCulloch.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hannah and family are making their home in Acme in the house last occupied by the Harold Esaus.

Mr. and Mrs. John Leyten and family accompanied by Louise Wheeler were holiday visitors to Gull Lake.

In exhibition baseball at Acme Sunday the locals gained sweet revenge for two previous beatings by trouncing Forest Lawn 9-3 in the first game with Maynard Spooner to Bob Hannah forming the Acme battery and 16-13 in the second game with Jim Bates to Grant

Lions Elect International President



Clarence L. Sturm of Manawa, Wisconsin, was elected International President of Lions International at the Association's 42nd Annual Convention in New York City. Lions International, with 590,000 members in 92 countries or regions, is the world's largest service club organization. Lions International is best known for its many youth programs, community service projects, sight conservation activities and aid to the blind. Last year Lions Clubs around the globe completed more than 180,000 individual worthwhile community service projects.

Gall.

Mr. J. T. Cullis of Orillia, Ontario is visiting his sister Mrs. W. A. Greenway at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fooks and daughter and niece of Vermilion were visitors at the home of his brother Frank.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Siemens and sons have returned from their holidays, visiting at Fort Saskatchewan and Swift Current.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Edmondson and girls of Brooks were visitors at the Al Greenway home on Sunday last on their way home to Brooks from Elnora.

We're sorry to hear that Mrs. Rose Lammle, who has been a hospital patient for 3½ months, has had her case diagnosed as incurable cancer of the bone.

Wednesday July 22nd is a mighty important date in Acme when the Annual Six-Team Sr. Baseball Tournament and four team Pony League Baseball Tournament will be held. See top baseball on a new diamond followed by a dance at night.

The very next day July 23 marks the long awaited opening sale of the Acme District Auction Market Ltd. Completion of this project is the result of a large investment and a lot of hard work on the part of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stark, Allan Leyden and Maurice Watt, joint owners and operators of the Auction Market. The successful operation of this important venture will mean much to this area.

The foundation for the new Acme Barber Shop and Poolroom was poured on Saturday.

SWALWELL PIONEER DIES AT 99

Mrs. Mary Wacker, a resident of Alberta since 1900, and of the Swalwell district since 1906, passed away in Trochu hospital June 25 after a lengthy illness, aged 99 years, two months and 24 days.

Predeceased by her husband and sons John D. and Grover W., she leaves to mourn her son, Roy F. Wacker of Swalwell and daughter Mrs. Esther D. Tunin of Calgary and Mrs. Edna L. Jennings of Banff, six grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held in Swalwell United Church on Saturday June 27 at 2 p.m. with Rev. M. Fowler officiating.

Beiseker

Mrs. Barbara Urlacher of

Camrose is spending two weeks with her daughter Mrs. Jake Selzler and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Brown and children of Estevan, Sask., Dr. and Mrs. Don Fisher and Linda of Shelby, Montana, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Selzler and Beth of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Pius Schmaltz and children of New Norway, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hogg of Ponoka were all home for the funeral of their mother Mrs. Peter Schmaltz on July 3.

4-H HIGHLIGHTS

Despite the weather the Beiseker 4-H Beef Club Achievement Day turned out to be successful. Mr. Hector MacDonald judged 21 of the senior members' calves and six Pee Wee members calves. Showmanship judges were Mr. Joe Boake and Mr. Verlin Wise. The following are the top six in Senior and Pee Wee:

SENIOR CLASS

1. Pat Kent.
2. Larry Hixt.
3. Paul Graham.
4. Monty Metzger.
5. Dennis Hagel.
6. Grace Toole.

SHOWMANSHIP

1. Marie Schmaltz.
2. Lloyd Berreth.

PEE WEE CLASS

1. Donnie Berreth.
2. Gordon Kent.
3. Billy Schissel.
4. Pattie Schmaltz.
5. Verlin Rau.
6. Teddy Schwengler.

PEE WEE SHOWMANSHIP

1. Gordon Kent.
2. Pattie Schmaltz.

The remaining calves were placed in three classes—choice, good, qualified:

Choice, Richard Metzger, Fred Schmaltz, Marie Schmaltz, Sheila Schissel, Virginia Berreth. Good, Linda Schmaltz, Brian Lang, Garry Lang, Robin Red-

ing, Lloyd Berreth, Marilyn Bosch, Jeanette Bosch. Qualified, Kenny Schwengler, Edna Schwarzenberger, Jerry Schwarzenberger, Errol Berreth, Ray Hagel.

On behalf of the Club, I would like to thank the judges, also F. J. Lavoie and Bob Hagel as well as Mr. J. H. Schmaltz on whose lovely premises the day was spent. The 4-H Sale is to be held Aug. 11 to 13th in Calgary.

—Marilyn Bosch.

About 40 children ranging in ages from 7 to 14 years had their first swimming lesson by a Red Cross Instructor at the Drumheller swimming pool on Tuesday July 7th and from reports heard all had a wonderful time. So now its up to the drivers. Be sure and keep your appointment. Don't disappoint six little boys or girls by not showing up. For some children that's the only holiday they

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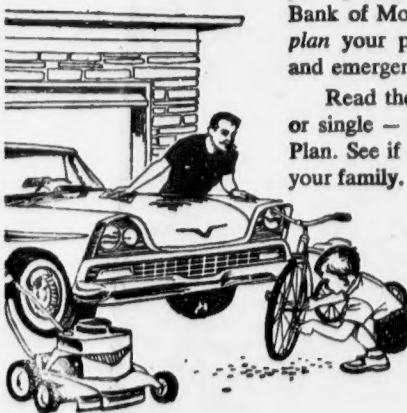
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